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**From:** Easterling, Deborah  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 17, 2019 2:07 PM  
**To:** 'Sandra Lybrand'  
**Subject:** RE: Duke energy rate hike

Dear Ms. Lybrand,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your Letter of Protest/Comments to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Your Letter of Protest/Comments will be placed in the Protestant File of the Dockets listed below and on the Commission's Website at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov).

- Docket No. 2018-318-E - Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Adjustments in Electric Rate Schedules and Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order
- Docket No. 2018-319-E - Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Adjustments in Electric Rate Schedules and Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order

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Docket No. 2018-318-E - Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC for Adjustments in Electric Rate Schedules and Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order - <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/116871>

Docket No. 2018-319-E - Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Adjustments in Electric Rate Schedules and Tariffs and Request for an Accounting Order - <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/116872>

If we may be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
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**From:** Sandra Lybran  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 17, 2019 1:51 PM

To: PSC\_Contact <Contact@psc.sc.gov>

Subject: Duke energy rate hike

To give Duke Powerful another rate increase is pure insanity. Duke has one of the highest rate in the country. Duke Powers high rates have inflated South carolinas cost of living, to a much higher rate than it should be. Something is wrong when a public utility has this kind of effect on our state. Duke can afford to donate millio s to political organizations, it can afford it's own upgrades. When they cut the CEO's salary to a reasonable rate, then maybe they can request an increase. NO increase.